IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

pplication of: Cary James MILLER et al.

Application No.: 10/658,529

Group Art Unit: 1641

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Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

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P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Dear Commissioner:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application December 8, 2003, for two-months from March 8, 2004 to April 8, 2004. Submitted herewith is a check for \$420.00 to cover the fees for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-1710. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

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Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 625-3500. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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